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THURSDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER

Mr. Massey, the original "readjuster," is reported to have been defeated for the State Senate in Albemarle county last Tuesday. Previous to that date his charge against Gen. Bradley T. Johnson, in relation to the C. & O. Canal Company, had been effectually repelled by the

General as follows:-"As the result of our labors, we show that we have procured the payment of the \$200,000 bonds guaranteed by the State in 1846, and \$9,235,-100 overdue interest on them, and \$225,000 overdue interest on the \$300,000 of other bonds guaranteed by the State-making \$650,000 of debt extinguished. Besides that, we have paid \$52,000 in cash into the treasury, with which bonds, equivalent to \$220,000 of old bonds, have

Such interest has been created in the proper management of the canal that it is impossible for it to relapse into its former condition, and the further liability of the State on her guarantee on \$300,000 of bonds is so remote as to amount to no risk. We have wiped out and extinguished eight hundred and eighty thousand dollars of the public debt. We have put \$516,600 of debt, on which the State is surety, in such condition that the tenter will in all probability here. dition that she never will in all probability be called on to pay it. Under these circumstances we can well be content with our position. We have done our work faithfully.

In a case in which Geo. Johnson is the accused, Mr. Massey the accuser, and the people of Virginia the jury, the only condition requisite for a verdict of acquittal would be the time required to render it.

By the solid vote of the radicals and that of the bolting democrats, in the 7th Senatorial district of New York, Mr. John Morrissey has defeated Mr. Augustus Schell, a highly respected gentleman, who never ran for office before, and only this time at the urgent solicitation of the reputable people of his district, who did not desire to be represented in the State Senate by a man who holdly acknowledges the proprietorship of a gambling salson. The radical party is a progressive party, but the route of its progression is downward. Their support of Messrs. Morrissey, the New York gambler, and Inger. | from except Pomenky. soll, the Illinois infidel, proves that they would assist the aims of Boelzebub himself, if by doing so they could possibly advance their own inter-

In the House of Representatives, yesterday, Mr. Cox, of Ohio, advocated his substitute providing for the redemption of the legal tender notes in coin by the Secretary of the Treasury on the 1st of January, 1878, at the rate of 97 cents to the dollar, and advancing the rate of redemption one half cent on the dollar every six mouths, so that in January, 1881, they shall be redeemed at par in coin, all redeemed being destroyed until the amount of notes shall not exceed three hundred millions, which amount may be reissued under any appropriation made by Congress. This, he thought, would bring about a healthy resumption.

The report that Col. Robert G. Ingersoll, the avowed infidel, has been offered the Mission to Germany by President Hayes has not been denied. Whether christianity be the true religion or not, one thing is certain, and that is that the world has been and is the better for it, but this public exaltation of its blatant opponent will not tend to increase its beneficent influence, and has not a good savor in the nostrils of the staid and sober sided people of the country-those upon whom whatever is good in the institutious of the government depends for support and sustenance.

From the election returns in Virginia it seems that the candidates voted for by those who are in favor of readjusting the State debt will have a decided majority in the next Legislature, but, though they may have talked of readjusting a justly due debt, and one for which full value has been received, we have too high an epinion of the members elected to believe that they seriously contemplate any action that will tend to the injury of the credit or honor of the State, or that such a thing as foroible adjustment ever entered their imaginations.

Among the petitions presented in the House of Representatives yesterday, were the followrelating to the claim of Abram H. Herr. By ed the ticket. Unless unlooked for gains have Mr. Hunton: Papers relating to the claim of Joseph Markham, By Mr. Walker: Papers lating to the claim of P. G. Coglan.

Sitting Bull's hopes were not realized. He hoped the Commission he sent back with flea in its car would be a "long time on its way back," meaning that it might never get back; but it has returned safely from its wild goose

The November number of the Maryland Farmer has been received from its publisher, Ezra Whitman, of Baltimore. In its notice of the late agricultural fair in this city, it says:-"The people of Alexandria have done much to encourage this display of the farmers, and it is believed they will make arrangements for permagent annual shows of this kind.'

# Virginia News.

Wild turkeys were never more numerous than at present. A flock entered the city of Lynchburg last week, and since then a large flock, of which one was killed, was seen in Woodstock. One killed in Shenandoah county a day or two ago weighed thirty-five pounds. In the United States Circuit Court at Norfolk, yesterday, Charles E. Gettlesch was found

guilty of embezzling government funds while deputy collector of that port. Henry Bowler, who was stabbed in Richmond last Sunday by J. T. Atkins, died on Monday.

His murderer is still at large.

A diapatch from Trenton, N. J., says a defaldiscovered in the account of Walter F. Bartlett. receiver of taxes. Mr. Bartlett is also proprietor of the American Hotel. He was arrested privately last evening, and after fruitless efforts to obtained security, was committed to the courty was committed to the cour

#### THE ELECTIONS.

Later returns fully confirm the dispatches before received of democratic victories in New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Virgiria and Mississippi, and the success of the republicans in Massachusetts, Connecticut, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Kansas and Nebraska. The election for members of the Legislature in New York and Connecticut resulted in no change in the complexion of those bodies.

VIRGINIA. Further returns show the election of the folowing legislators: Southampton, Griffin to Senate and Edwards to the House; Prince George, R. E. Bland. In Dinwiddie Dr. E. H. Smith, republican, is elected to the House. In Rockingham county Captain John Paul is of superanuated ministers, and asked the apelected to the Senate, and Dr. S. H. Moffett, pointment of a committee of three to take charge (author of the Moffett whiskey punch law,) and of the matter, and the following were ap-Col. R. N. Harrison to the House of Delegates. | pointed : Lynchburg elected the "workingmen's" can-

Augusta sends Hanger, Echols and Vanlear to the House of Delegates. Koiner, for the Senate, has forty four majority, with two precinots to hear from, which will probably in crease his majority.

Edwin Nelson, democrat, was elected to the House of Delegates from Prince William, over George C. Round, independent. Nelson's majority at Brentsville was 109, at Haymarket 48, at Cole's 83, at Occoquan 48, at Hickory

Grove 32. Walker, democrat, has been elected to the House of Delegates from Westmoreland county; Ashton, democrat, in King George, over Price, radical, by 60 votes; Hardestley, dem., in Clarke; McCabe and Carter, independents. been purchased for and are now in the sinking in Loudoun county, and Geo. Walker, democrat, from Northumberland. Betts. democrat, is elected to the Senate from the Northumberland district. Shumate and Green, democrats, are elected to the House of Delegates from Fauquier, over George Davis, independent. Brocke, democrat, is elected to the Senate from the Fauquier district.

Atkinson and Southward are elected to the House from Henrico, and Wingfield and White from Hanover. Chiles is elected to the Senate from Chesterfield. Boeoek is elected to the House from Appomattox, Harvie from Amelia, Ryland from King William, Henson and Parish from Louisa, Atkinson and Lynch from Chesterfield, Crank, Michie and Smith from Albemarle. A late report from Charlottesville is that Massie was not defeated, but elected to the Senate. Oglesby is elected to the House

MARYLAND.

The result in Charles county is so close that will require the official count to determine it. Porter's majority for comptroller is only 6. It is believed that the democrats have elected Cex to the House of Delegates, and also a majority of the Board of County Commissioners. The republicans have probably elected the rest of the ticket by a majority of not over 10. For Senator, J. W. Mitchell, dem., 157; F. M. Lancaster, rep., 1,553. House of Delegates, S. Cox, jr., dem., 1,581; S. A. Mudd, dem., ,557; W. D. C. C. Mitchell, rep., 1,550; J. B. Latimer, rep., 1,527. The balance of the tick et probably mixed. All the districts heard

Returns indicate that in Prince George's county the reform and fusion ticker is elected over the democratic and republican tickets by about 300 majority. Wm. B. Hill is elected State Senator over C. B. Calvert, democrat, and S. Taylor Suit, republican.

In St. Mary's county the legislative ticket from which there are returns, and from other information, it is safe to conclude that R. C. Combs, democrat, is elected to the Senate, and Joseph H. Key and Ignatus E. Mattingly, democrats, are elected to the House of Delegates. J. Frank Smith, democrat, is elected sheriff.

PENNSYLVANIA. PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 8.—The Press (rep.) says this moroing: - Complete or closely estimated returns from 50 of the 66 counties in Penpsylvania indicate that the democrats will elect Trunkey, their candidate for Supreme Judge, who rans behind his ticket by between one and two thousand. In the fifty counties where the majorities are in the democrats have 2,943 votes to spare while the sixteen to hear from gave Hayes only 2,564 over Tilden last

NEW YORK. NEW YORK, Nov. 8 .- The World makes the State Senate republican by two majority. The Assembly is in doubt, but counting the one greenback man from Chemung as a democrat, is probably 68 democrats to 60 republicans.

The Horald figures as follows:-Senate, re publicans 19; democrats 13. Assembly, repub licans 37; democrats 60. Labor and greenback

The Tribune says: - The Senate is safely republican and the Assembly is in doubt. Its figures are: -Senate, republicans 18; democrats 13; independent one. Assembly, democrats 63; republicans 64; greenback democrat 1. John Morrissey is the independent.

KANSAS. LEAVENWORTH, Nov. S .- The returns of Tuesday's elections in this State, received by the Leavenworth Times, indicate that a small vote was polled in pretty much all the counties. The only State officers voted for were a Lieutenant Governor to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Lieutenant Governor Salter and a Chief Justice. The republicans elect their candidates L. Humphrey for Lieutenant Governor and A. P. Horton for Chief Justice by the usual majorities. Considering the number of votes polled-with but few exceptions, the republicans elect their county ticket in pretty much every county in the State. Davis county goes for the greenbackers as also does Bourbon. The whole republican ticket in this county was defeated in consequence of the uning from Virginia:-By Mr. Cabell: Papers popularity of the candidate for sheriff who headbeen made in these counties Judge Sterrett

#### (rep., for Supreme Judge,) is deteated. The Eastern War.

A Russian official dispatch is published, containing the following: "A squadron of our cavalry has occupied the road from Rahova to Widdin. Rahova was occupied by 1,500 Turkish infantry, part of whom, with the inhabitants, withdrew on the approach of our reconnoitring force. On Sunday night General Skobeleff pushed on to Brestonic, south of Plevna, threw up batteries there, and after a violent cannonade attacked the Turkish positions with infantry.'

[As the above dispatch does not report the result of the attack, it was probably unsuc-

cessful. Colonel Valentine Baker has gone to Schipka

Intelligence has been received that all of Geo. Zimmerman's staff have rented houses in Kustendji. It is concluded from this that the campaign is over for this year, as far as the Dobrujda army is concerned.

A dispatch from Vienna says that Mahmoud Damad Pasha is going to Lesbos to meet Midhat Pasha, for the purpose of arranging the differences between the latter and the Sultan. provincial municipalities have voted resolutions and to their fellow men. One gentleman said Anthropology, and at the close examined the

speedy warlike preparations." A dispatch from Ragusa says: The Montenegrins are bombarding Fort Serdar, near glory he felt like the old man, who, after listen-Spuz. They also have 20 siege guns in position before Podgoritza.

cation of from 15,000 to 20,000 dollars has been real estate agent and broker, was convicted of forgery and sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary. He escaped some months ago, when on confiding colored people.

### SYNOD OF VIRGINIA.

SECOND DAY-MORNING SESSION. The Synod was called to order by the Moderator, and after prayer the minutes of yesterday's session was read, corrected, and approved. Rev. Mr. E. H. Cumpston was added to the committee on the memorial of Rev. Dr. Mitch

ell, and Rev. Mr. Graham made chairman. The following additional delegates reported their names to the clerk:

Ministers-Wm. H. Groves, Chas. II. Read, T. D. Witherspoon and R. Bowman. Elders-B. P. Newman, T. S. Sangster, R. Ridges, W. V. Frye, E. W. Cone, T. Dickson, and B. S. D. Mexley.

Rev. J. D. Thomas said that he had been made a trustee of \$1,000 left to the Synod o Virginia by a lady, to be applied to the relief

Judge F. N. Watkins, Judge Robert Oald

and John L. Marye. W. R. Graham, of the M. P. Church; Rev. W. C. Webb, of the M. E. Church, and Rev. W. K. Boyle, of the M. E. Church, South, were invited to sit as corresponding members of the Sgood.

At the request of Rev. Dr. Lefevre the judi cial committee was granted leave to retire to complete their report.

Rev. Dr. Pryor said he had a report on the religious state and instruction of the colored people within the bounds of the Synod, but as it was in the handwriting of another gentleman he would ask Col. J. T. L. Preston to read it. The report sets forth the spiritual condition of the colored people and their needs, and says that it will be wise as well as christian for the church to unite with all religious denominations to improve the condition of the colored people, and recommends the encouragement of all edu eational institutions having for their object the improvement of the colored race.

On motion of Rev. Mr. Watkins the report

was received. Dr. Pryor addressed the Synod on the report at length, saying that while he was glad that the Northern Presbyterian Church had done so much, for which he gave it all credit, and was thankful for what it was now doing, and for what it proposed to do in the future, yet, he could not allow it to go forth to the world that I the Southern Church had done nothing for the colored people. He spoke of the colored people very hopefully, and said he believed that they could be made, under proper training, useful members of society. He was a Presbyterian from conviction, but his desire was not to make the colored people Presbyterians; he was anxious to make them Christians, and that he leved to think of them, after this life of

toil, enjoying the blessings of heaven. Col. Preston, of Lexington, then addressed the Synod on the same subject, urging that it was their duty as Christians to eudeavor to improve the condition of the colored people.

Key, Dr. J. M. P. Atkinson, President of Hangalen Sydney College, spoke on the subices objecting to the language of the report, which he understood to say that the colored Presbyterians, and therefore urged co-operation of Maryland. with other denominations, or urges ing of them Presbyterians of possible, and said he believed that the Presbyterian Church could do for the colored people what the Methodist, Baptist, or any other church could.

Rev. Mr. Bowman said he believed that the colored people could be made Presbyterians very easily, but he did not believe that they could be set apart to themselves with any confidence. He did not believe that they had yet! arrived at that State.

Rev. Dr. Loyburn, of Baltimore, addressed the Synod at length upon the subject of the evangelization of the colored people, urging that, as they were morally responsible beings, something should be done for their elevation. In the course of his remarks he paid a compli- | ment. ment to the Theological Department of Howard any institution.

The order of the day having arrived-to hear Rev. Dr. Waddell, Secretary of the Committee on Education of the General Assembly-

Rev. Mr. Schanks, chairman of the committee to whom the overtures of several Presbyteries asking a division of the Synod were referred. asked five minutes in which to present their re- Republique! Vive la paix! port, and after some discussion, the request was granted, and the report read. There will be two reports on the subject of the division of the Synod-a majority and minority-and when they come up for consideration, there will be much discussion, as it is probably one of the Grevy in taking the chair thanked the Cham most important subjects that the Synod will have | ber in a brief and colorless speech for the honto legislate upon.

Rev. Dr. Waddell then proceeded to address the Synod on the subject of education.

After the address of Mr. Waddell, the report f the Judicial Committee, was presented by the chairman, Rev. Dr. Lafevre, which was re- answer, implying that he was firmly resolved coived. The report recommends that the case | not to resign. of Dr. E. T. Baird, who was deposed from the ministry and expelled from the communion of the Presbyterian Church by the Presbytery of East Hanover, for appropriating to his own use the funds of the Publication Committee, from which action he appealed to the General Assembly, and that body having referred the appeal | tion of resigning, as he is convinced that such a to the Synod of Virginia, for their action, be refer- course would expose the country to the greatred back to the Presbytery of East Hanover, for est peril.

The Synod then adjourned till half past three

DR. HOGE'S SERMON.

Rev. Dr. M. D. Hoge, of Richmond, preached a the Union Presbyterian Church, last night, to d'Audiffret Pasquier, President of the Senate, a crowded house, one of the finest sermons that | had told the Duke de Broglie that he would the people of Alexandria have ever listened to. | not permit the discussion of an unconstitutional From the commencement of the discourse to order of the day which would put forward the its close the Doctor had the almost breathless | Marshal as a shield for the Ministers and enattention of that large audience, which, for intelligence and refinement, certainly has never an order of the day directly armed against the been surpassed in this, and we believe, in any Marshal. The Cabinet did not endeavor to ob other city. Who in that audience can forget the death bed scene of the soldier boy, which brought tears to the eyes of not only the few who were in sympathy with the preacher by reason of the recollections of their own sad losstheir soldier boy-but young men and old gray haired men, who have had some experience in the world, and who have nearly reached the end of life's rugged road, could not keep back the tear that, when our whole being is thrilled, will struggle for utterance. After reciting an demanding a vote of confidence for the Minis incident of the loss of a child, who, at the voice of the father, eried here I am, father, come to me, and who died shortly afterwards, the speaker said, the death of a little child was not much, people said, only a little thing, but I jority shall invalidate an official candidates electell you, said the Doctor, it is large enough to | tion. east a shadow over the world to the one bereaved. Mothers, he said, go home to-night, and when you look up into the heavens, listen, and some of you will, perhaps, hear, with the ear of faith, a little one saying, "Come to me!"—

Dr. Hoge's sermon was from the text, "But list last session at Hernden on Thursday, the list inst. F. P. Berkley, County Templar, prethe God of all grace, who hath called you unto his eternal glory by Christ Jesus, after that ye elected representative to the Grand Lodge have suffered awhile make you perfect, stablish, which meets in Staunton on Wednesday the strengthen, settle you." The Doctor spoke of 28th inst. grace, of the glory of God, and of the Christians | A surprise party, which was numerously atcalling to share that glory, and "after that ye" tended, met at the house of Mr. G. H. Williams have suffered," with such cloquence in language this evening, and showed their regard for him that went direct to the heart, that cold hearts by friendly gifts. were made warm, and hearts that were warm Prof. Garber, of Washington, gave a lecture were made to burn with love to God, to Christ, this evening at the Good Tempiars' Hall on urging union amongst political leaders and to his friend while leaving the church that craniums of two gentlemen and sketched their when Dr. Hoge was speaking of the glory of characters much to the amusement of their God and the church being called to share that friends. The lecture was well attended. congregation and exclaimed, "Hurrah for our | Walker are expected to conduct the services. God." In conclusion the doctor adopted as Convicted.—In the Criminal Court of Wash-ington yesterday, Chas. Stewart, the colored which Gol gave Him might be their glory. lage, with the aid of guapowder and all the loose boxes they can lay their hands on, are making

> A decree of forcelosure and sale of the Erie Railway Company was entered at New York

From Washington. DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE. SPECIAL

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. S. The Senate met at noon. After some memorials (none from Virginia,)

had been presented,

Mr. Mathews introduced a bill to supplement the act providing for a resumption of apocio payments. Referred.

The bill authorizes the payment of duties in reenbacks, &c.

Mr. Chaffe introduced a resolution, which was agreed to, requesting the President to communicate to the Senate all the facts in relation to the subsidies granted to the various Pacific railroads on account of their operations, and a statement of the amounts due by them to the United States, &c., and also what impediments stand in the way of the collection of these

amounts. Mr. Maxey called up his resolution request ing the President to communicate all the information in his possession relative to the recent raids and jail deliveries in Texas by marauders from Mexico, and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Spencer introduced a bill for the relief of the Deposit Savings Company, of Mobile,

Alabama. A resolution was adopted requesting the President to communicate the steps necessary to enable the claimants on the Mexican award fund to obtain payment of their claims. Bills were also introduced to authorize the

Secretary of the Treasury to purchase a certain lot of ground

To authorize the Colton Manufacturing Co to wind up its business.

VIRGINIA BUSINESS. Mr. Withers introduced a bill granting a pen

sion to Janette S. West, And, at 12:28, the Senate went into execu tive session, and, after some time spent therein, adjourned at 12:55 until to morrow. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The House, immediately after the reading of the Journal, took up the Army bill. It places no restriction upon the use

roops, Mr. Atkins saying that confidence in the President had induced the committee to omit

The bill will be discussed for two hours in Committee of the Whole, and most probably will be then passed.

Joel F. Hill has been appointed clerk to the House Committee on Indian Affairs; Anderson W. Reese, clerk to the House Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds; Albert Ord closed his very interesting address by saying way, clerk to the Committee on Railways and Canals; George P. Gillum to a position in the Doorkeeper's department; Eiward F. Riegs to a clerkship in the office of the Clerk; and Butler Burke, of Staunton, to a position in the folding room.

The President sent a number of nominations to the Senate this afternoon. The following are the most important: H. C. Sanford, Minister Resident to Belgium; W. M. Burwell, Register of the Land Office at New Orleans, La., and J. people could not, to a large extent, be made M. McClintock, U. S. Marshal for the District

> THE RICHMOND POSTOFFICE. The nomination of Mr. Forbes as Postmaster of Richmond was confirmed in executive session of the Senate to day.

### France.

terday afternoon, and the nomination of mem- of latitude till you have reached the land of the bers of the bureaus began.

of the election of four life Senators be placed on the order of the day for the 15th inst.

The sitting closed without incident. message was received from President MacMa- other place to make it in. [Laughter.] This hon, nor any communication from the Govern-

When the Chamber of Deputies met M. University of Washington, saying that the last Desseaux, radical republican, occupied the of duty until it shall arrive at the goal, and the graduating class would have been a credit to chair, M. Raspail, fils, being indisposed. M. capstone shall be put upon it in time. [Shouts Desseaux spoke in culogy of the late M. Thiers, whem he declared deserved well of his country. He added that the present Chamber would labor to strengthen the Republic and defend it every acre and scream defiance to all creation. against all attacks, regardless from whom they

> M. Grevy was then chosen Provisional President by a vote of 200 to 170, and M. Rameau, moderate republican, and M. Lepere, radical republican, were elected Vice Presidents. M.

or. The sitting then terminated. A Paris dispatch says President MacMahon in receiving a delegation of Deputies of the Right yesterday gave them a very categorical

A Paris dispatch says :- There is great ex citement in political circles. The Moniteur ialmost the only conservative journal which re commends a conciliatory policy. This journal asserts that President MacMahon has no inten-

A Paris correspondent telegraphs:--It was believed this morning that Ministers intended to obtain the passage of an order of the day expressing confidence in President MacMahon, but it afterwards became known that the Duke able the Chamber of Deputies to retaliate by tain a vote of confidence for itself from the Senate, as it was aware the attempt would be

The Chamber of Deputies must verify the election of a sufficient number of members to form a quorum before it can proceed to business. This preliminary work will not be completed until Monday.

PARIS, Nov. S .- The Soleil and other conservative journals discountenance the project of try in the Senate.

A committee of Deputies of the Right has been appointed to consider whether the Ministry shall withdraw in a body whenever the ma-

## Letter From Fairiax.

FAIRFAX C. H., Nov. 6, 1877.-The county sided. D. M. Chichester was unanimously

The Episcopal As sociation will commence to-

Just at this time some young men of the vilas much noise and as big a honfire as possible to celebrate the el ection of Mr. Farr. A. V.

Amusing Debate. During the debate on the bill in favor of the resumption act in the U. S. House of Representatives, yesterday afternoon, Mr. Price, (lowa,) though in favor of resumption, said he had voted to take the bill out of the morning hour because he was opposed to anything like gag-law or the suppression of discussion. challenged contradiction when he asserted that day after meeting and organization thereof, the national bank property of the country pays more taxation than any other species of propery, and that was the reason two hundred and of existence. In conclusion Mr. Price said:-

"I want the country to stand by its promises. tried to do which we could not do? We stand | high words in consequence. to-day on the highest pinnacle of honor. We stand the peer of the proudest nation on the globe in point of honor and in point, also, of financial ability. In the lexicon of this young giant of the West there is no such word as fail. If we are true to ourselves we will accomplish all we have promised, and we shall continue to be, what we are to day, the admiration of the eivilized world." [Applause.]
Mr. Kelley,—Does the fact that the nation

has accomplished that which is possible prove that it can accomplish the impossible?

Mr. Price. - I should like to know what sort of a question that is? [Laughter.]

Mr. Kelley.—It is a very direct one, which can be answered eategorically. Mr. Price.-When he shows me anything that is impossible to this nation I will be pre-

pared to answer his question. Mr. Kelley .- Was it not the argument of Peel and Ricardo when the act of 1819 was passed that, as gold and paper were then at less han 5 per cent, difference, it was a mere question of from 3 to 5 per cent, to be diffused over four years? If the gentleman cannot answer that question [Laughter] I will answer it in the

affirmative. What was the result of overcoming that from 3 to 5 per cent.? Values were reduced 60 per cent., and the elder Peel said to his son, "Robert, you have made the fortune of your family, but you have ruined your Three per cent, was enough to do that. Mr. Price.-I do not know anything about

the elder l'eel's opinion, and do not care much about his son. I live in the afternoon of the nineteenth century, and am legislating for the people who live in the afternoon of the nineteenth century, and while I have the lamp of experience to guide my feet in the path of the future I am pretty safe so long as I keep in it. While values in England at that time may have gone down sixty per cent., values here have gone up because gold has gone down from 280 to 103. Do not compare this country with any other. There is no place to make a country to compare it with. [Laughter.] In firmer, and receipts are good; sales to day of England you may take a railroad car in the 1443 bushels at 143 for white, and 130a142 for morning and start out in a straight line, and red. Corn is also better, and about 850 bushe's before the sun sets you will run over the edge. Applause and laughter. You cannot compage mole hills with mountains. You may contrast them, but you cannot compare them. Step out from yonder eastern limit and see the king of day shaking the water from his wings. He takes his course westward, not six hundred ble dispatches stating that Congress had passed miles only, nor a thousand miles, nor two nor the Silver bill. three thousand miles only, but he has traversed nearly four thousand miles when he sinks to rest behind the golden waves of the Pacific. [Laughter and applause. | Or take your stand up at the frezen north, where the ice king The Senate reassembled, at Vetsailles, yes- reigns, and follow down through all the degrees orange and the pine, and there you have a M. de Larunty demanded that the question country which for a diversity of clime and products has no equal on the globe. [Continuous laughter and applause. | And you cannot make such a country anywhere else, for there is no is our country. It has one constitution, one tlag, and one destiny, and I purpose, (so far as my ability extends,) to keep it in the pathway

of laughter and applause. I Mr. Kelley (ironically).—Big as the country is the American eagle can flap its wings over [Laughter.] It is a great bird. I want to ask come, and concluded with the ery of "Vive la the gentleman, as he says we have raised values, how much the price of Iowa wheat has

gone up in the last three years? Mr. Price .- It is worth more than it was three years ago, I am happy to say. We have got a better crop, and it is worth a good deal more money.

Mr. Kelley. -Measured by what? Mr. Price. -Measured by the silver dollar

which we remonetized the other day. Mr. Kelley. - Is it measured by cotton, iron or any other product of industry? Mr. Price .-- My friends from the South can

answer the cotton part of the question, and the gentleman from Pennsylvania himself can an swer the iron part of it. [Laughter.] Mr. Kelley .- Has its price increased in British sovereigns or French francs?

Mr. Price.-We do not take British soverings or Franch francs. We take American dollars. [Laughter.]
Mr. Townsend (impetuously.)—Yes, wheat is worth more than it was sixteen years ago, wheth

er measured in francs, sovereings or in our gold. Mr. Kelly (to Mr. Townsend.)-Do you speak or Iowa? [Laughter.]
Mr. Townsend — Yes I do, for I have wheat and builbeks in lows to sell.

tleman from New York was a carpet bagger. COURT OF APPEALS. - The following are yesterday's proceedings of the Supreme Court of Appeals now in session at Richmond. Bur roughs's executors vs. Whiteburst's adminis-

Mr. Kelley .- I never suspected that the gen-

James, &c., vs. Nance's administrator, &c. Appeal allowed from a decree of the Circuit Court of Pittsylvania. Shackleford's administrator vs. Shackelford,

trator, &c. Appeal allowed from a decree of

the Circuit Court of Norfolk city.

&c. Rule to 17th instant to show cause why appeal should not be dismissed. City of Norfolk vs. Chamberlain; City of

Alexandria vs. Washington and Lee Universits; Earp vs. Booth; Cheatham, &c., vs. Hatcher, &c. Piaced on the privileged docket. Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad Company vs. Martin's administrator, &c. From Hanover Circuit Court. Dismissed agreed.

Diekens vs. Stout. Rule against appellant to 15th December to give a new bond. Earp vs. Booth: Cardwell vs. Allan, &c.; Sydnor's assignee, &c., vs. Swepson. &c. Rules to require records to be printed to 7th Decem-

Ellett vs. Planters National Bank. Rule to show cause why cause should not be dismissed for failure to give bond within time. Ragland vs. Brodnax, &c. Partly argued

by William Green, Esq., for the appellant, and Drury A. Hinton, Eq, and Judge Crump for the appellees, and continued until to-day. Quality and efficacy considered, Dr. Bull's

Cough Syrup is without exception the best cough preparation in the mark et. Price 25 cts. a bottle; five bottles for one dollar.

#### MARRIE D. On Wednesday, November 7th, 1878, by Rev.

Ed. Ingle, at Salem, Roar oke county, Virginia, CHAS. S. TAYLOR, Jr., of Alexandria, to Miss MARY KARLE PERVIS, daughter of the late Wm. Pervis, of Mobile, Ala. No cards. In Richmond, at the residence of the bride's father, on Tuesday, October 20th, EDITH, boxes they can lay their hands on, are making daughter of Dr. Orlan do Fairfax, to Doctor J. JACQUELIN MONCURE, all of Richmond. No cards.

## DIED.

News of the Day.

The State Legislatures just elected do not choose United States Senators to succeed those whose terms expire on the 4th of March, 1879. The law passed in 1866, of which Senator Morton was the author, provides that the Legislature of each State which is chosen next precediog the expiration of the term for which any Senator was elected shall, on the second Tucs proceed to elect a Senator in Congress.

A colored man named Zebulon Elijah, who was appointed postmaster at Pensacola through thirty three of them had voluntarily gone out | the influence of Senator Conover, failed to file bond in the time required, and a Southern men named Sea was appointed through the influence do not want it to give out to the world that of Senator Jones. Ill feeling has resulted and we cannot do anything. What have we ever the two Senatorial colleagues have had some

Thomas Hogan, who was tried in March last, in Baltimore, for the alleged shooting of Coun eilman Mulligan and acquitted, last night, dur ing an altereation in a saloon on Central avonue. in the same city, shot at and wounded William Clark and James Shannon, the former severely and the latter dangerously. Ex-Senator Lyman J. Trumbull, of Illinois,

was married on Saturday afternoon at Old Say brook, Conn., to Miss Mary J. Ingraham, eld est daughter of the late Captain J. Ingraham, of Old Saybrook. The bride and groom are The Signal Service observer at Barnegat re-

ports a vessel, supposed to be a steamer, on her beam ends about three miles off shere. Three men were olinging to the rigging. About two o'clock p. m. she disappeared and is supposed to have sunk. At Columbia, S. C., yesterday, before the grand jury was dismissed a true bill was return-

bribe as member of the State Senate. Whittemore was in Canada when last heard from. The Spanish Government intends to give Gen. Grant an official reception.

ed against B. F. Whittemore for accepting a

The vots for State officers, east at the election on Tuesday, was opened and canvassed today by the commissioners appointed for that purpose.

Jeremiah Weeden, who killed a man named Walker in a prize fight last spring, at Penn's Grove, and was serving out a ten years sentonce therefor in the New Jersey State prison, died at that place to-day.

William Eustace Gibson died suddenly at Culpeper Court House last Sunday.

### COMMERCIAL.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, Nov. 8 .- The market is gradually improving, and prices are ad vancing. There is no change to note in Figur, though the transactions are larger. Wheat is sold at 62 for good mixed, and 52, 53 and 55 for new. Rye sold up to 65 for choice, and Oats at 334. Country produce is coming in more freely

a general decline for consols and American se-THE CANAL COAL TRADE. - The shipments by the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal last week were

23,268 tons; for the year 524,673 tons, a decrease

In London on Tuesday prices were lower and

of 23,263 tons as compared with 18,6. BALTIMORE, Nov. 8 -Virginia 6s, old, 30; do deferred 51; do. consolidated 605; do. 2d series 43 Sugar dull at 94. Coffee unchanged. Whiskey dull at 1 10 \$1 101.

NEW YORK, Nov. S -Stocks lower. Money Gold 1027. Flour quiet and unchange ! Wheat dull, without decided change. Corn dull and iste lower.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, NOWELS. Sun rises...... 6 33 | Moon sets..... 7 24 Sun sets...... 4 51 | High water...... (1 (\*)

Str Express, Baltimore, to J Broders & Co Schr Geo S Repplier, Washington, to J P

Schr Wm Z James, Washington, to J P Ag new & Co. SAILED. Str J W Thompson, Leonardtown, by F A Read. Str Mattano, Nomini, by J Broders & Co. Schr Harriet Thomas, New Haven, by Amer-

Agnew & Co.

Schr John E Sanford, Stonington, by Ameri-Schr Geo S Repplier, Petersburg, by J P Agnew & Co.

Schr Wm Z James, Norfolk, by J P Agnew & Co. PASSED UP FOR GEORGETOWN. Schrs Belle Halliday, Dighton, Mass; L H Copperthwait, Philadelphia; John R Halliday,

New York, Aitcoma, Banger, Me. PASSED DOWN FROM GEORGETOWN. Schrs Belle Halliday, Western Narrows, Mass; LS Levering, New Bedford; L B Cop perthwaith, Providence; Howard Williams, Hoboken; George R Vreeland, Hoboken.

MEMORANDA. Schr Abbot Devereux, hence at Boston, 7th. The schr Ellen Morrison, Capt Clifford, from Bangor, Me., for Washington, D. C., has arrived at Dutch Island after having been injure! by a squall.

## CANAL COMMERCE.

Arrived-Boats L A Long, C Clifton, Jno II Parrott, jr., T L Betts, H O Claughton and W Darrow, to American Coal Co; TH West, B Miller and J A Alexander, to Hamp & Balt Coal Co; Beamedetta, to Blaen Avon Coal Co; G B Aswald and Lizzie & Phillie, to J P Agnew & Co; D R Long, to New Central Coal Co. Departed—Boats Ed Bayer, G P Dewitt, Katie & Addie, C R Hooll, W C Hunter, M D Corse, American Flag, A B Bain, W E Turner, L A Long, C Clifton, J H Parrott, jr., and D R

EXTRA FINE GUNPOWDER TEA-to suit the taste of those in want of a very superior article, received and for sale low by F. J. DAVIDSON,

A NOTHER CARLOAD OF EARLY ROSE AND PEERLESS POTATOES received this day. W. A. JOHNSON.

nov 8 5 BBLS N. Y. STATE HAND PICKED BEANS, and a fresh invoice of Pennsylvania Buckwheat received this day. nov 8 W. A. JOHNSON.

BEEF STEAK TOMATOES—by the case of single can at lower prices than ever before F. J. DAVIDSON. 147 King street. 9.5 DOZ. BROOMS received and for sale

at extremely low prices by F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King street. P. T. GEORGE & CO'S SUGAR CURED UNCANVASED HAMS and Breakfast

Pieces received to-day. W. A. JOHNSON. BBLS HUDNUTS PEARL HOMINY, something choice, recent A. JOHNSON.

nov 8 RAISINS-Layer, London Layer and Va-lencia Raisins just received by nov 8 B. B. LAWSON & CO. nov 8

500 POUNDS PRIME BUCKWHEAT FLOUR just received by J. C. & E. MILBURN. nov 8 LAYER, SEEDLESS AND VALENCIA RAISINS, new, just received by nov 8

FIVE BBLS PEARL HOMINY lust re-19 north Royal street. nov 8

CANTON PRESERVED GINGER AND CHOICE TURKISH PRUNES just received by [nov 8] R. B. LAWSON & CO.

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